



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
NATIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Center, Camp Aguinaldo, Quezon City, Philippines

APR 12 2022

MEMORANDUM
No. 058 s. 2022

TO : ALL OCD REGIONAL OFFICES I, II, III, CALABARZON, MIMAROPA, V, VI, VII, VIII, IX, X, XI, XII, CARAGA, BARMM, CAR, and NCR

SUBJECT : Efficient Discharge of Duties and Responsibilities Amidst National and Local Elections 2022


With OCD's primary mission of administering a comprehensive civil defense and disaster risk reduction management program towards a safer and resilient community, we commit to uphold a culture of excellence, professionalism, integrity, and commitment as we ensure to comply with legal and applicable requirements.

Involvement in political partisan and/or differences during emergencies affects disaster operations especially the relief and rehabilitation efforts. It is at these phases that help is most needed. All our actions must be launched and carried-out with no haste and intervention from political standpoint. We must remain focus on the efficient discharge of duties and responsibilities, not to engage and to avoid involvement and partisan to any political activities for the upcoming National and Local Elections 2022, as said acts are prohibited under the 1967 Constitution, COMELEC-CSC Joint Circular No. 001, series of 2016, and other laws and statutes.

With the overwhelming task of dealing with unfortunate disaster situations, we shall attempt to restore normal functioning of communities that have been devastated by the recent calamity in the best and appropriate manner. Thus, you are reminded to remain apolitical and refrain from using the government's funds and resources for political use.

For guidance and compliance.

For the Chairperson, NDRRMC:


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